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## **Continuing Education**

Regular monthly audits are performed on licensed nurses to ensure compliance with the Board's continuing education requirements. In Fiscal Year 2007, the Board began auditing for continuing education compliance prior to allowing nurses to renew their licenses. Those who do not meet the Board's requirements or fail to respond to the audit cannot renew their license. Compliance rates are indicated below:

## RN Compliance Data

Month/Year	# Audited	# Compliant	# Non-Compliant	Compliance Rate
12/2011	199	177	22	88.94%
01/2012	235	220	15	93.62%
02/2012	229	207	22	90.39%

## LVN Compliance Data

Month/Year	# Audited	# Compliant	# Non-Compliant	Compliance Rate
12/2011	81	50	31	61.73%
01/2012	124	96	28	77.42%
02/2012	105	80	25	76.19%

Reason for Non-Compliance = Non-Compliant, Not Responding, Deceased, Inactive, MSR Invalid, Retired, or Revoked